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SUBJ: KOREAN TREE CUTTING

1. EMBASSY SHOULD IMMEDIATELY ENSURE THAT PRESIDENT
PARK IS INFORMED THAT OFFICIAL U.S. PUBLIC STATEMENT
AFTER TREE CUTTING WILL BE LIMITED TO FOLLOWING
SENTENCE: BEGIN QUOTE:

AT ABOUT 7 AM KOREAN TIME ON AUGUST 21 A UN COMMAND
WORK GROUP CUT DOWN THE TREE WHICH THE NORTH KOREANS
HAD PREVENTED AN EARLIER WORK PARTY FROM PRUNING
ON AUGUST 18. UNQUOTE.

2. PARK SHOULD ALSO KNOW THAT THERE WILL BE NO U.S.
STATEMENTS OTHER THAN THAT OF WASHINGTON SPOKESMAN.

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